

AZ Communications Unit Training Program Update

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Overview



- COML Courses
- COML Field Day
- COMT Course

Upcoming COML Courses



- The PSIC Office is planning to offer several All-Hazards COML courses in 2012 utilizing IECGP 2010 funds.
- Course announcements were emailed to the Interested Parties and COML Notification Lists – approximately 800 people.
- The announcements are posted online at <http://www.azpsic.gov/library/coml>.
 - Cochise County – Sierra Vista, April 2-5, 2012: ERMA #1001883
 - Gila County – Globe, April 16-19, 2012: ERMA #1001884
 - Coconino County – Flagstaff, April 30 – May 3, 2012: ERMA #1001900
- Qualified participants must enroll through ERMA and send complete registration forms to psic@azpsic.gov.

COML Field Day



- The PSIC Office is planning to offer a COML Training Field Day in Maricopa County utilizing IECGP 2010 funds.
- The purpose of the Training Field Day is to facilitate development of emergency responder skills and capabilities through hands-on training for individuals who have completed the initial COML classroom course. Individuals who have completed a COMT course in Arizona will also be invited to benefit from this training opportunity.
- The Field Day was originally targeted for spring delivery, but may be postponed to a date later in the year due to procurement delays, as well as weather and wildland fire season.

2012 COMT Course



- An All-Hazards COMT course will be held in Maricopa County in April, utilizing SHSGP 2011 training funds. This will be the second COMT course held in Arizona to date.
- The course trains emergency responders on practices and procedures common to COMTs during all hazards emergency operations.
- The 5-day curriculum will be led by two trained and federally recognized instructors.
- Due to the technical nature of the training, course enrollment is limited to 15 students.



Further Discussion; Questions?
Thank You!

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